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PATENT

Docket No. 2026-4149US2

11-2598

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Stracke, M. et al. Group Art Unit : 1652  
Serial No. : 08/977,221 Examiner : Longton, E.  
Filed : November 24, 1997  
For : AUTOTAXIN: MOTILITY STIMULATING PROTEIN  
USEFUL IN CANCER DIAGNOSIS AND THERAPY

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. §1.36(a))**

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing a Response to Official Action.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
[ X ] is filed herewith.  
[ ] has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3. [ ] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status. [ ] Small Entity Statement is attached.  
[ ] Statement has already been filed.

- | 4.       | Total Months<br><u>Requested</u>  | Fee for Other<br><u>than Small Entity</u> | Fee for<br><u>Small Entity</u> |
|----------|---|---|--------------------------------|
| a. [ X ] | one month   | \$110.00                                  | \$55.00                        |
| b. [ ]   | two months  | \$400.00                                  | \$200.00                       |
| c. [ ]   | three months  | \$950.00                                  | \$475.00                       |
| d. [ ]   | four months   | \$1,510.00                                | \$755.00                       |
| e. [ ]   | five months   | \$2,060.00                                | \$1,030.00                     |
| f. [ ]   | An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ _____), minus the fee previously paid (\$ _____) equals \$ _____ (total fee due). |   |                                |

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5. [ X ] A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. [ ] Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. \_\_\_\_\_ A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. [X] The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2026-4149US3. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: November 10, 1998

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